FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: December 2, 2005

BUYS: Canned Fruit

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) purchased canned fruit for distribution to needy family and other domestic food assistance programs for Fiscal Year 2006.

Product, quantity, pounds, and program cost consist of the following:

PRODUCT	No. of Cases	No. of Pounds	TOTAL COST
Canned Applesauce (24/#300)	55,080	1,239,300	\$455,511.60

The purchase is the result of offers received in response to USDA's purchase announcement FV 300, Invitation Number 077 dated November 10, 2005. The products were purchased on a delivered-to-destination basis. Deliveries are to be made from January 1, 2006 to March 31, 2006.

Further information can be obtained from the Commodity Procurement Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 2546-South Building, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-4517 or our Internet Site: http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp/.

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ANNOUNCEMENT : FV300 COMM GROUP : FRUIT, CANNED INVITATION : 077

COMMODITY TYPE : APPLESAUCE, CANNED PACK SIZE : 24/#300 CAN

CONTRACTOR NAME: NATIONAL FRUIT PRODUCT CO., INC. PLANT ADDRESS : WINCHESTER

30,780 TOTAL AWARDED:

CONTRACTOR NAME: NEW ERA CANNING COMPANY PLANT ADDRESS : NEW ERA

12,960 TOTAL AWARDED:

CONTRACTOR NAME: SNOKIST GROWERS PLANT ADDRESS : YAKIMA

----DESTINATION---- QUANTITY PRICE PER CITY ST (CSE) (CSE) ----DESTINATION----NUM 005 HOUSTON TX 1,620 \$ 8.3000 006 SACRAMENTO CA 1,620 \$ 8.4100 016 DALLAS TX 1,620 \$ 8.3000 COMMODITY TYPE : APPLESAUCE, CANNED PACK SIZE : 24/#300 CAN

CONTRACTOR NAME: SNOKIST GROWERS PLANT ADDRESS : YAKIMA WA

ITEM NUM	DESTINATION CITY ST		QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)	
017	LONG BEACH	CA	1,620	\$	8.7100
018	SAN JOSE	CA	1,620	Ş	8.4100
024	LONG BEACH	CA	1,620	\$	8.7100
025	RIVERSIDE	CA	1,620	\$	8.7100

TOTAL AWARDED: 11,340